# **MetroPulse**

# **Community Data Snapshot** Prairie Grove

### **GENERAL POPULATION CHARACTERISTICS, 2013**

	Community	McHenry	CMAP
	Community	County**	Region
Total Population	1,717	308,060	8,459,768
Total Households	611	108,852	3,050,372
Average Household Size	2.8	2.8	2.7
Population Change, 2000-10	98.3%	18.7%	3.5%
Median Age*	44.9	38.4	36.0

Source: 2000 and 2010 Census, 2013 American Community Survey five-year estimates.

<sup>\*\*</sup>For municipalities located in more than one county, data provided is for the county containing the largest portion of the municipality.



### **RACE AND ETHNICITY, 2013**

	Community		McHenry	McHenry County		CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	
White	1,565	91.1	256,616	83.3	4,475,512	52.9	
Hispanic or Latino*	43	2.5	35,899	11.7	1,850,343	21.9	
Black	38	2.2	3,210	1.0	1,453,894	17.2	
Asian	49	2.9	7,888	2.6	533,554	6.3	
Other	22	1.3	4,447	1.4	146,465	1.7	

Source: 2013 American Community Survey, five-year estimates.

Universe: Total population.

\*Includes Hispanic or Latino residents of any race

### **AGE COHORTS, 2013**

	Community		McHenry County		CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
19 and under	513	29.9	90,189	29.3	2,318,426	27.4
20 to 34	158	9.2	50,349	16.3	1,797,403	21.2
35 to 49	391	22.8	72,322	23.5	1,786,910	21.1
50 to 64	466	27.1	62,341	20.2	1,571,064	18.6
65 to 79	164	9.6	25,165	8.2	709,759	8.4
80 and Older	25	1.5	7,694	2.5	276,206	3.3

Source: 2013 American Community Survey five-year estimates.

Universe: Total population.

#### **HOUSEHOLD INCOME. 2013**

	Community		McHenry C	County	CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Less than \$25,000	28	4.6	14,204	13.0	606,898	19.9
\$25,000 to \$49,999	85	13.9	19,469	17.9	641,798	21.0
\$50,000 to \$74,999	68	11.1	19,939	18.3	528,326	17.3
\$75,000 to \$99,999	67	11.0	17,710	16.3	397,228	13.0
\$100,000 to \$149,999	139	22.7	22,271	20.5	465,926	15.3
\$150,000 and Over	224	36.7	15,259	14.0	410,196	13.4
Median Income	\$1	13,750	\$7	6,145	\$6	62,447

Source: 2013 American Community Survey five-year estimates.

Universe: Total households.

### **EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT, 2013**

	Community		McHenry County		CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
High School Diploma or Higher	1,116	98.1	185,652	92.1	4,824,125	86.4
Bachelor's Degree or Higher	632	55.5	65,336	32.4	2,015,618	36.1

Source: 2013 American Community Survey five-year estimates. Universe: Population 25 and older.

<sup>\*</sup>Note that all Regional Medians were calculated based on Grouped Frequency Distributions.

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## **HOUSING AND TENURE, 2013**

	Community		McHenry C	McHenry County		CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	
Occupied Housing Units	611	94.4	108,852	93.6	3,050,372	90.5	
Owner-Occupied	537	87.9	89,602	82.3	1,995,385	65.4	
Renter-Occupied	74	12.1	19,250	17.7	1,054,987	34.6	
Vacant Housing Units	36	5.6	7,402	6.4	319,069	9.5	

Source: 2013 American Community Survey five-year estimates.

Universe: Total housing units.

### **HOUSING TYPE, 2013**

	Community		McHenry County		CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Single Family, Detached	534	82.5	90,563	78.3	1,681,097	50.3
Single Family, Attached	78	12.1	11,705	10.1	258,105	7.7
2 Units	17	2.6	1,880	1.6	239,024	7.2
3 or 4 Units	15	2.3	3,105	2.7	285,785	8.5
5 or more Units	3	0.5	8,376	7.2	878,662	26.3

Source: 2013 American Community Survey five-year estimates.

Universe: Total housing units excluding mobile, boat, RV, van, etc.

### **HOUSING SIZE, 2013**

	Community		McHenry County		CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
0 to 1 Bedrooms	20	3.1	6,517	5.6	549,362	16.3
2 Bedrooms	77	11.9	25,225	21.7	962,966	28.6
3 Bedrooms	200	30.9	47,472	40.8	1,135,910	33.7
4 Bedrooms	256	39.6	31,118	26.8	568,956	16.9
5+ Bedrooms	94	14.5	5,922	5.1	152,247	4.5
Median Number of Rooms*		8.3		6.6		6.0

Source: 2013 American Community Survey five-year estimates.

Universe: Total housing units.

\*Includes all rooms.

## **HOUSING AGE, 2013**

	Community		McHenry	McHenry County		CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	
Built 2000 or Later	288	44.5	25,770	22.2	398,379	11.8	
Built 1970 to 1999	262	40.5	57,943	49.8	1,119,962	33.2	
Built 1940 to 1969	63	9.7	22,740	19.6	1,067,473	31.7	
Built Before 1940	34	5.3	9,801	8.4	783,627	23.3	
Median Year Built	·	1997	·	1986		1966	

Source: 2013 American Community Survey five-year estimates.

Universe: Total housing units.

# HOUSING & TRANSPORTATION (H+T)\* COSTS, PERCENT OF INCOME PER HOUSEHOLD

	Median- Income Family	Low-Income Single- Parent Family	Moderate-Income Retired Couple	Moderate- Income Family
Housing Costs	31.1	56.1	39.0	38.2
Transportation Costs	24.1	34.8	14.9	23.5
H + T Costs	55.2	91.0	53.9	61.7

Source: Location Affordability Index, U.S. Dept. of Transportation and U.S. Dept. of Housing and Urban Development

<sup>\*</sup>The purpose of the H+T Index is to isolate the effect of location on housing and transportation costs, grouped by common demographic characteristics that form four distinct household types. The values above represent the percent of household income that an average household within each of these types in the region would spend on housing and transportation if they lived in this county. The standard threshold of affordability is equal to 30 percent for housing costs and 45 percent for housing and transportation costs combined. For more information, visit www.locationaffordability.info/About\_Data.aspx.

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# **EMPLOYMENT STATUS, 2013**

	Comn	Community		McHenry County		CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	
In Labor Force	895	68.2	171,500	72.5	4,512,014	68.2	
Employed*	820	91.6	153,608	89.6	4,001,000	88.7	
Unemployed	75	8.4	17,726	10.3	497,606	11.0	
Not In Labor Force	417	31.8	65,059	27.5	2,104,803	31.8	

Source: 2013 American Community Survey, five-year estimates.

Universe: Population aged 16 and over.

## **PRIVATE SECTOR EMPLOYMENT, 2013\***

	Community		McHenr	McHenry County		Six-County Region**	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	
Private Employment	N/A	N/A	75,940	N/A	3,314,262	N/A	
Job Change (2003-13)	N/A	N/A	-427	-0.6	2,333	0.1	
Private Sector Jobs per HH	N/A		0.70		1.09		

Source: Illinois Department of Employment Security (IDES).

### EMPLOYMENT OF COMMUNITY RESIDENTS, 2011 EMPLOYMENT IN THE COMMUNITY, 2011

By Industry Sector	Count	Percent By Industry Sector	Count	Percent
Manufacturing	149	12.4 Manufacturing	322	63.8
Retail Trade	148	12.3 Construction	41	8.1
Wholesale Trade	111	9.3 Professional	28	5.5
Health Care	111	9.3 Transportation	25	5.0
Education	106	8.8 Health Care	22	4.4

By Employment Location	By Residence Location		
Chicago	140	11.7 Woodstock	37
McHenry	97	8.1 <b>Elgin</b>	31
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McHenry	97	8.1 <b>Elgin</b>	31	6.1
Crystal Lake	96	8.0 Crystal Lake	30	5.9
Cary	32	2.7 McHenry	29	5.7
Elgin	32	2.7 Harvard	20	4.0

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Longitudinal-Employer Household Dynamics Program.

### **MODE OF TRAVEL TO WORK, 2013**

	Community		McHenry County		CMAP Region	
	Count	Percent	Count	Percent	Count	Percent
Work at Home*	34	N/A	7,955	N/A	172,818	N/A
Drive Alone	656	85.2	124,261	86.9	2,731,295	72.7
Carpool	50	6.5	11,390	8.0	339,800	9.0
Transit	45	5.8	4,052	2.8	488,106	13.0
Walk or Bike	10	1.3	2,149	1.5	156,261	4.2
Other	9	1.2	1,080	0.8	42,664	1.1
TOTAL COMMUTERS	770	100.0	142,932	100.0	3,758,126	100.0

Source: 2013 American Community Survey, five-year estimates.

## ANNUAL VEHICLE MILES TRAVELED (VMT) PER HOUSEHOLD, 2013

	Community	McHenry County	CMAP Region
Average Vehicle Miles Traveled	27,223	23,160	16,723

Source: CMAP analysis of US Census Bureau, HERE, and Illinois Environmental Protection Agency data.

<sup>\*</sup>Does not include employed population in the Armed Forces.

<sup>\*</sup>Figures exclude employees not covered by unemployment insurance.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Kendall County is not included in IDES data.

<sup>\*</sup>Not included in "total commuters."

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### **GENERAL MERCHANDISE RETAIL SALES, 2013**

	Community	McHenry County	CMAP Region
Total Retail Sales*	\$49,746,128	\$2,973,015,024	\$92,667,928,416
Total Sales per Capita	\$28,972.70	\$9,650.77	\$10,953.96

Source: Illinois Department of Revenue.

### **EQUALIZED ASSESSED VALUE, 2012**

#### PARK ACCESS AND WALK SCORE

Residential	\$74,117,267	Park Acreag	e per 1,000 Residents
Commercial	\$8,837,882	Community	185.0
Industrial	\$5,614,407	McHenry County	118.3
Railroad	\$0	Region	39.0
Farm	\$1,678,909	Walk Score*	N/A
Mineral	\$0		
TOTAL	\$90,248,465		

Source: Illinois Department of Revenue.

Source: CMAP calculations of 2010 Land Use Inventory; walkscore.com. \*Walk Score is a number between 0 and 100 that measures the average walkability of a municipality.

### **GENERAL LAND USE, 2010**

	Acres	Percent	
Single-Family Residential	735.7	20.1	
Multi-Family Residential	0.0	0.0	
Commercial	74.7	2.0	
Industrial	102.8	2.8	
Institutional	29.3	0.8	
Mixed Use	0.0	0.0	
Transportation and Other	322.7	8.8	
Agricultural	1,639.9	44.8	
Open Space	352.2	9.6	
Vacant	399.2	10.9	
TOTAL	3,656.4	100.0	

Source: Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning Parcel-Based Land Use Inventory.

### **For More Information**

Please direct inquiries to Jon Hallas, 312-386-8764 or JHallas@cmap.illinois.gov. To access other Community Data Snapshots for municipalities and counties in the Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning's seven-county northeastern Illinois region, visit www.cmap.illinois.gov/data/metropulse/.





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<sup>\*</sup>Does not include qualifying food, drugs, and medical appliances.